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Notice of Lifting of Suspension Date:

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: LIQUIDATION FOR GRAIN-ORIENTED ELECTRICAL STEEL FROM ITALY (C-475-812)

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS
PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT

RE: LIQUIDATION FOR GRAIN-ORIENTED ELECTRICAL STEEL FROM ITALY (C-475-812)

- 1. THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE DID NOT RECEIVE A REQUEST FOR AN ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW OF THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDER ON GRAIN-ORIENTED ELECTRICAL STEEL FROM ITALY (C-475-812) FOR THE PERIOD 01/01/1998 THROUGH 12/31/1998 FOR CERTAIN MANUFACTURERS.
- 2. THE PRODUCT COVERED BY THIS ORDER IS GRAIN-ORIENTED
 ELECTRICAL STEEL, WHICH IS A FLAT-ROLLED ALLOY STEEL PRODUCT
 CONTAINING BY WEIGHT AT LEAST 0.6 PERCENT OF SILICON, NOT MORE
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THAN 0.08 PERCENT OF CARBON, NOT MORE THAN 1.0 PERCENT OF ALUMINUM, AND NO OTHER ELEMENT IN AN AMOUNT THAT WOULD GIVE THE STEEL THE CHARACTERISTICS OF ANOTHER ALLOY STEEL, OF A THICKNESS OF NO MORE THAN 0.56 MILLIMETERS, IN COILS OF ANY WIDTH, OR IN STRAIGNT LENGTHS WHICH ARE OF A WIDTH MEASURING AT LEAST 10 TIMES THE THICKNESS.

- 3. THEREFORE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 351.212(c) OF THE COMMERCE REGULATIONS, YOU ARE TO ASSESS COUNTERVAILING DUTIES AT RATES EQUAL TO THE CASH DEPOSIT OF ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES REQUIRED AT THE TIME OF ENTRY ON THE SPECIFIED SUBJECT MERCHANDISE EXPORTED ON OR AFTER 01/01/1998 AND ON OR BEFORE 12/31/1998.
- 4. THE RATES OF ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES WHICH WERE REQUIRED TO BE DEPOSITED ARE:

GRAIN-ORIENTED ELECTRICAL STEEL PERIOD RATE FROM ITALY

ALL OTHERS C-475-812-000 01/01/1998-12/31/1998 24.42%

ALL OTHERS C-475-812-999 01/01/1998-12/31/1998 24.42%

LIQUIDATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR ACCIAI SPECIALI TERNI S.P.A. (AST) (C-475-812-001) (NOW KNOWN AS THYSSENKRUPP SPECIALI TERNI S.P.A.) OR IMPORTED BY ACCIAI SPECIALI TERNI USA, INC. (AST USA) (C-475-812-001) (NOW KNOWN AS THYSSEN KRUPP AST USA, INC.) FOR THE PERIOD 1/1/1998-12/31/1998 WERE ISSUED IN MESSAGE #3332210 DATED 11/28/2003; AND LIQUIDATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR AST AND AST USA FOR THE PERIODS 1/1/1999-12/31/1999, 1/1/2000-12/31/2000, 1/1/2001-12/31/2001, AND 1/1/2002-12/31/2002 WERE ISSUED IN MESSAGE #3332211 DATED 11/28/2003.

IN ADDITION, LIQUIDATION INSTRUCTIONS WERE ISSUED FOR THE FOLLOWING PERIODS:

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1/1/1999-12/31/1999 0229203 8/16/2000 ALL OTHERS
1/1/2000-12/31/2000 1275201 10/02/2001 ALL OTHERS
1/1/2000-12/31/2000 1278206 (CORRECTION) 10/05/2001 ALL OTHERS
1/1/2001-12/31/2001 3309202 11/05/2003 ALL OTHERS
1/1/2002-12/31/2002 3309202 11/05/2003 ALL OTHERS

- 5. THE SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION ORDERED FOR THE MERCHANDISE LISTED ABOVE EXPORTED ON OR AFTER 01/01/1998 AND ON OR BEFORE 12/31/2002 BY ALL COMPANIES IS LIFTED. THE SUSPENSION OF LIQUIDATION FOR ALL SHIPMENTS OF THE MERCHANDISE LISTED ABOVE EXPORTED AFTER 12/31/2002 WILL CONTINUE.
- 6. THE ASSESSMENT OF COUNTERVAILING DUTIES BY THE U.S. CUSTOMS AND BORDER PROTECTION (CBP) ON ENTRIES OF THIS MERCHANDISE IS SUBJECT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTIONS 778 OF THE TARIFF ACT OF 1930. SECTION 778 REQUIRES THAT BCBP PAY INTEREST ON OVERPAYMENTS, OR ASSESS INTEREST ON UNDER PAYMENTS, OF THE REQUIRED AMOUNTS DEPOSITED AS ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES. THE INTEREST PROVISIONS ARE NOT APPLICABLE TO CASH OR BONDS POSTED AS ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES BEFORE THE DATE OF PUBLICATION OF THE COUNTERVAILING DUTY ORDER. INTEREST SHALL BE CALCULATED FROM THE ENTRY DATE OR DATE OF DEPOSIT WHICHEVER IS LATER, OF ESTIMATED COUNTERVAILING DUTIES THROUGH THE DATE OF LIQUIDATION. THE RATE AT WHICH SUCH INTERST IS PAYABLE IS THE RATE IN EFFECT UNDER SECTION 6621 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1954 FOR SUCH PERIOD.
- 7. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CBP OFFICERS, THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT DAVINA HASHIMI OF THE OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT, IMPORT ADMINISTRATION, INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE (202) 482-0984. (GENERATED BY G2O6:GL).
- 8. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party

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